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Applicant: Richard Ford
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AMENDMENT B

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 9, 2005, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.